

BAKERSFIELD COLLEGE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

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SENATE BODY

Wednesday, October 23rd, 2024 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. BCSGA Boardroom, Campus Center Meeting Zoomlink: <https://kccd.edu.zoom.us/j/9161584492>
Meeting ID: 916 158 4492
Passcode: 1234567890

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

This meeting was called to order on 10/23/24 at 4:04 pm in the SGA board room at Bakersfield College and zoom.

2. ASCERTAINMENT OF QUORUM

A majority quorum must be established to hold a bona fide meeting

Senator Lidget-Present
Senator Felix-Excused absence
Senator Winston-Present
Senator Turner-Garcia-Present
Senator Ochoa-Present
Senator Varga- Present
Senator Moore-Present
Senator Leon-Present

7/9 Senators present, quorum has been met, a bonafide meeting may be held.

4. PUBLIC COMMENT

This segment of the meeting is reserved for persons desiring to address the Senate on any matter of concern that is not stated on the agenda. A time limit of three (3) minutes per speaker and fifteen (15) minutes per topic shall be observed. The law does not permit any action to be taken, nor extended discussion of any items not on the agenda. The Senate may briefly respond to statements made or questions posed, however, for further information, please contact the BCSGA Vice President for the item of discussion to be placed on a future agenda. (Brown Act §54954.3)

Bookstore asking for promotion and department communication for semesters textbook workshop- current flier not as effective as wanted

Ideas: digital how to, in person event for newer students, professors canvas participation, keep workshop event virtual ~ webinar, partner with find your class event, information booths prior to bookstore entry.

Senator Turner motions to continue discussion for 2 mins, second by Senator Leon.

QR code, video can be pushed to academic professors

5. REPORTS OF THE ASSOCIATION

The chair shall recognize any officer of the association, including the BCSGA Advisor, to offer a report on official activities since the previous meeting and make any summary announcements deemed necessary for no longer than three minutes, save the advisor, who has infinite time.

a. Vice President

: Ethics and Educate for Senators

b. Senators :

Senator Winston - good job with voter registration and homecoming committee

Senator Turner- 2 resolutions~templates obtained, encouragement of communication

Senator Leon -Thanks for Legislative affairs and tabling

Senator Vargo- Nothing to report

Senator Ochoa-Nothing to report

Senator Garcia- Nothing to report

Senator Moore- Nothing to report

c. BCSGA Advisors (∞ mins.)

Advisor Ayala: Formal approach and procedure for order in board room, resolution protocol, progress meetings, grade progress, Beginning of Nov ~4th-10th will be out of office, SGA/OSL/BC attire, trunk or treat

Director Pogue: dress up for trunk-or treat~ nightmare before christmas theme, drop ideas in teams chat
Jayasena: discount at bookstore for attire

Advisor Alvarez: ICC meeting going well, representative needs to attend, retreat upcoming, registration work

6. REPORTS FROM EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

The Chair shall recognize the Executive Officers and Departments to report for no longer than three minutes on the activities since the previous meeting.

- a. Office of the President NONE
- b. Department of Student Organizations Manager Dexter : Nov 15th 8am -3 pm breakfast and lunch included ~ wants student faculty to attend, club questions need to be directed to office
- c. Department of Student Activities Thanks
- d. Department of Legislative Affairs Director Millier: ebt/snap, community college fee waived for unit, money borrowed for construction on campus, presentation upcoming
- e. Department of Finance Emails, overview for Senator need for appeal processes
- f. Department of Public Relations Director Pogue alter of honor in communal space, no open food
- g. Department of Secretary :None
- h. KCCD Student Trustee NONE

7. REPORTS FROM THE PARTICIPATORY GOVERNANCE COMMITTEES

The Chair shall recognize the officer of each participatory governance committee to report for no longer than three minutes on the committee's activities since the previous meeting.

- a. Academic Senate Academic Senate breakdown of handbook update, prices, AI and academic integrity, honorlock program for implementation Wizard AI is a concern, protorial suggested, canvas coding, no opening windows or copy and paste, you can require full online classes to test in person, confidence based education~other than testing, DSPS
- b. Accessibility and ADA Task Force : NONE
- c. Accreditation & Institutional Quality Committee BC core values word revision discussion
- d. Assessment Committee NONE
- e. Bookstore Committee Oct 16th bookstore committee, bookstore charge and process for low cost textbooks, only need 1 senator on board
- f. Budget Committee Meeting 4th Mondays of month, will take photo

Notes:

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- g. College Council NONE
- h. Curriculum Committee Common course numbering updated template, courses approved
- i. Enrollment Management Committee NONE
- j. Equal Opportunity & Diversity Advisory Council (EODAC) Public Safety training, concern with armed force on campus due to social profiling, committee people want data for armed officer need, questioning integrity, campus security losing jobs and promotions, want armed forces as safety point~ bluelight could replace, Renegade success magazine ~ digital and physical of all BC services, will collaborate with public relations department, vision 2030, future meeting for individual ideas, 1 hire, from police department, panel interview with questions from students, committees want packet of data highlighting why a police officer is needed

- k. Facilities & Sustainability Committee 1st Wed on month meeting, on track to finish construction, acquired electrical shipment, hoping for Arvin and garden opening in Spring
- l. Information Services & Instructional Technology (ISIT) once a month meeting
- m. Professional Development Committee NONE
- n. Program Review Committee next cycle issues, programs misunderstanding program requests, invite different representation in meetings, program reviews in teams, technology requests issue, wrong direction of input needing revision, program review workshop goal for spring
- o. Safety Advisory Committee None
- p. KCCD Strategic Planning zoom last monday, creating scenario process currently, conclusion is no thriving and no relevance, slow decline, reactive but light to drivers, gradual progress, up to date of courses, transformation~revolutionized institution ~ 10 year goal for KCCD

8. APPOINTMENT OF SENATORS TO COMMITTEES AND DEPARTMENTS *The Senate will recommend members to each of the Senate Standing Committee and the BCSGA Departments. Then, the Senate will consider a binding resolution to appoint Senators as members to each Senate Standing Committee or BCSGA Departments established by the BCSGA COBRA. The Senate may consider the character, professional competence, physical or mental health, or other matters permissible under the California Brown Act, of certain individuals during consideration of this item. Under the Brown Act, the Senate may not close the meeting.*

- a. BCSGA Department of Student Activities need 1 senator appointed~ Senator Garcia will sit in committee
- b. BCSGA Department of Finance need senator : senator Moore and Senator Vargas debate
 Moore: very informative, goof friends director of finance~wants more of an understanding
 Vargas: recently changed major to business~ gain education for senate and major

Manager Dexter point of privilege

Senator Moore: Raised hand 2

Senator Vargas: Raised hand 5

Senator Vargas will sit in finance meeting

Senator Moore will sit in on Accessibility and ADA Taskforce

Director of Finance Samaniego will sit on Information services and instruction technologies

9. NEW BUSINESS

Items listed have not already been discussed and thus are considered for Senate consideration.

- a. DISCUSSION: CCCSAA Student Leadership Conference Presentation BCSGA went to conference from Oct11-13, Slideshow being directed ~ Workshops(focused on the why, how, and who. Lots of interactive worksheets and projects : Networking Basics, Understanding Your Role as a Student Advocate, Shape Up, Purpose in Motion, Keynote Address, Minutes and Agendas, Parliamentary Procedure, Advocacy for Change, Balancing is NOT an act

Idea of BCSGA Business Cards/Tap App

Advisory Ayala :book on community wealth

- b. DISCUSSION: Debrief – Homecoming Week HIGHLIGHTS: KARAOKE~requests for future karaoke nights, lots of enthusiasm DANCE~ well organized and good food, urge for participation (float), BC mini football and winning team

Ideas: karaoke night week before finals for stress relief , spoken word/cafe night, dining services mocktails

Advisor Ayala: trunk or treat, downtown Bakersfield christmas parade~ semi truck as float, passion for job

10. ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Chair shall recognize in turn BCSGA Officers requesting the floor for a period not to exceed one minute.

- a. Trunk or Treat 10/25 set-up begins at 1pm event is 5pm-9pm,
 Jayasena: Nov 5th 3pm cc 232 election day ~ zoom as well, Zoom will be dropped in group chat

Samaniego :Open houses this Saturday, paper agendas provided

11. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:01pm.

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